Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* It is a fact, Sir, his work is very arduous and that is why he has been given a special grade of Rs. 25—60.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* Is it not a fact that his health is impaired ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* It is understood.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* Are the Government aware that in the Madras Province the rule is that all clerks must know typing and that typist will be kept on as typist only for a couple of years promoting him to clerical line afterwards ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* I am not aware. The Government are not aware of the fact ?

Mr. M. Krishna Menon *(Trichur-North):* May I know whether the Government think that there is the real necessity to continue the system of typist clerks when there are too many persons offering themselves to work as clerks ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* Sir, the point is this. In some offices there will be no work for a full-time clerk and there will be no work for a full-time typist. There will be a little bit of typing work and some clerical work and therefore we appoint in such offices what is called typist clerks and give them the grade of 25-3-40 straight away. Otherwise they will be eligible probably for a lesser grade. It is only in very few instances that we have got what is called typist clerks.

Mr. M. Krishna Menon *(Trichur-North):* In the 25—40 grade may I know whose work is more arduous, the work of a clerk or of a typist?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* He is much more a clerk than a typist. His clerical work is much more than the typing work.

Mr. K. T. Achuthan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):* May I know in which offices there are typist clerks.

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* In the Office of the Superintendent of Registration and Anchal there is a typist clerk besides typists.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ : ടൈപ്പിസ്റ്റ് ക്ലാർക്കിന്റെ മിനിമം കാളിഫിക്കേഷൻ എന്താണ് ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* Knowledge of typing and School Final.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ : ടൈപ്പ് റയിറിംഗ് പാസ്സാകണമെന്നുണ്ടോ ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* Only Elementary grade will do; No higher qualification.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ : ഗവമ്മെണ്ട് ടെക്നിക്കൽ എക്സാമിനേഷൻ പാസ്സാകണമെന്നുണ്ടോ ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* Yes.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ : ടെക്നിക്കൽ എക്സാമിനേഷൻ പാസ്സാകാത്തവരെ എക്സ്പെറിമെന്റൽ അപ്പോയിന്റ് ചെയ്തിട്ടുണ്ടോ ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael *(Comptroller of Finance and Accounts):* I want notice, Sir.

RECRUITMENT OF SUB-INSPECTORS OF POLICE

292. Mr. K. Narayana Menon *((Mulakunnathukavu):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether any new proposals are before them for recruiting new Sub-Inspectors of Police;

(*b*) if answer to (*a*) is in the affirmative are there any proposals to lower the literary and other qualifications to helping the old hands in the Department without the present requisite qualifications ?

Khan Sahib Y. M. Roshan Sahib Bahadur *(Commissioner of Police):*

(*a*) No.

(*b*) No answer is necessary in view of answer to (*a*).

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE—HALT IN CERTAIN STATIONS

293. Mr. K. Narayana Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether Nemmara, Palayannur and Kunnamkulam are not the comparatively light stations in the State in respect of crimes and cases and investigations with reference to other Charge Police Stations;

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